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Group No. 3743
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1. U.S. Patent No. 4,224,805 issued September 30, 1980, to Rothwell.
2. U.S. Patent No. 4,378,787 issued April 5, 1983, to Fleischmann.
3. U.S. Patent No. 4,544,021 issued October 1, 1985, to Barrett.
4. U.S. Patent No. 4,993,483 issued February 19, 1991, to Harris.

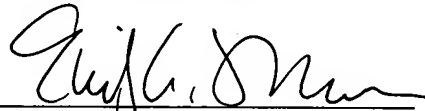
5. U.S. Patent No. 5,738,164 issued April 14, 1998, to Hildebrand.
6. U.S. Patent No. 5,771,700 issued June 30, 1998, to Cochran.

Copies of the listed documents are attached.

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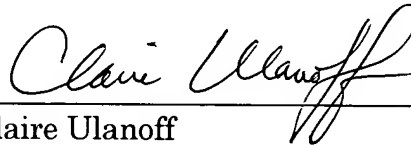
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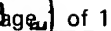
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